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shall keep an account of the cost of mowing each separate piece or parcel of ground, and upon completion of the same shall certify the cost thereof, together with the necessary cost of notice to the city clerk of the city of Danville, Ill.

SEC. 3. Said city clerk shall once each year certify to the city collector all of the aforesaid amounts charged against such owners, occupants, or leaseholders for the cost of cutting grass, weeds, and vegetation and said collector shall charge, or cause to be charged, against the real estate from which said weeds, grass, or vegetation was cut; said amount certified as aforesaid, and the same shall be certified, levied, and collected as other taxes, and in case of the failure of the owner, leaseholder, or occupant to pay said taxes within time required by law for county taxes to be paid, the said property may be sold by the county collector in the same manner as is now provided by statute for the sale of real estate for delinquent taxes.

#### **HAMMOND, IND.**

##### **Garbage—Receptacles. (Ord. July 20, 1916.)**

SECTION 1. Section 3 of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance regulating the collection, removal, and disposition of garbage," and to repeal all ordinances in conflict therewith, approved May 21, 1915, be, and the same is hereby, amended to read as follows:

SEC. 3. Said garbage vessels shall be of metal, water-tight, and with a close-fitting lid or cover, and shall be constantly kept covered. The owner of any premises shall procure, place, and maintain a modern metallic garbage vessel of the style and pattern that is fastened on hinges and will top outward into the alley when it is to be emptied, and known as the "fence garbage can." Such vessel shall not hold less than 20 gallons. Wherever it is impossible to use such garbage can or if the same is too small or inadequate, then such owner shall petition the board of public works for a permit to use a different size and kind of garbage vessel than heretofore described, and said board shall investigate the matter, and if said board finds that the regulation garbage can can not be used, then it may issue a permit to such petitioners for a different kind of garbage can. Such permits shall state the size and kind of garbage vessel such petitioner shall be permitted to use. *Provided*, The owners of any such premises may construct a garbage box of concrete, but such box shall be placed inside of the lot line wherever possible, and in case it is impossible to place such concrete box inside the lot line then such owner may place such concrete garbage box in the alley, upon petition to the board of public works, and a permit by said board as hereinbefore provided.

#### **JOPLIN, MO.**

##### **Nuisances—Definitions—Prohibition of. (Ord. 6010, May 2, 1916.)**

SECTION 1. The following are hereby deemed, declared, and defined to be nuisances:

1. All substances which emit or cause any foul, noxious, unhealthy, or disagreeable odor or effluvia in the neighborhood where they exist.

2. All carcasses of animals remaining exposed after death except such animals as are killed for use as food.

3. All green or salted hides left or exposed in any open place for a longer period than six hours.

4. Every soap factory, tallow chandlery, grocery, cellar, shop, tannery, brewery, distillery, meat shop, sausage factory, beef or pork, packing house, stable, or barn which emits or causes any offensive, disagreeable, or noxious smell or odor.

5. All slop, foul or dirty water, liquor, beer, or saloon washings, all filth, refuse, or offal discharged through drains or spouts, or otherwise thrown or deposited in or upon any street, avenue, sidewalk, alley, lot, park, public or private inclosure, or any pond or pool of water.

6. All vegetables or other articles that emit or cause any offensive or disagreeable smell or odor.

7. All articles or things whatsoever caused, kept, maintained, or permitted by any person to the injury, inconvenience, or annoyance of the public or of any neighborhood.

8. The doing of any act which is dangerous to human life or detrimental to the health of any person or persons, and all pursuits followed or engaged in or acts done by any person to the injury, annoyance, or inconvenience of the public or of any neighborhood.

9. All hanging signs, ropes, network, or other advertising device stretched over or across any street, avenue, alley, or sidewalk, unless same be permitted by ordinance.

10. All ashes, cinders, slops, filth, excrement, sawdust, stones, rocks, dirt, straw, soot, sticks, shavings, oyster shells or cans, dust, paper, trash, rubbish, manure, refuse, offal, waste water, chamber lye, fish, putrid meat, entrails, decayed fruit and vegetables, broken ware, rags, old iron or other metal, old wearing apparel, all animal or vegetable matter, all dead animals, or any other offensive or disagreeable substance or thing thrown, left, or deposited or caused to be thrown, left, or deposited by anyone in or upon any street, avenue, alley, sidewalk, park, public or private inclosure, lot; vacant or occupied, or pond or pool of water.

11. All boxes, barrels, kegs, crates, boards, or broken ware thrown, left, or deposited or caused to be thrown, left, or deposited by anyone in or upon any sidewalk, curbstone; or gutter, or in front or alongside of any building.

12. The burning within the city limits of any animal, vegetable, or other substance; the burning of which creates or generates any disagreeable, noxious, or unwholesome smell or odor.

13. Any stable, hogpen, or privy which is kept or permitted to be kept in such a condition as to be offensive, annoying, or disagreeable to anyone.

14. The making of any unusual and unnecessary noise and the maintenance thereof, or the carrying on of any business or amusement in such manner as to annoy, inconvenience, or disturb any person or persons or neighborhood or impair the health or comfortable enjoyment of home or property of any person or persons.

15. The placing or maintaining of any obstruction of any kind in any natural or living watercourse of the city so as to impede the flowing of water therein.

16. The doing of any act which shall tend to pollute or contaminate the water supply of the city.

17. The accumulation on any lot or piece of ground in the city of any refuse matter in such a manner as to be offensive or be injurious to the health of any person or of the neighborhood.

18. Any tenement, boarding house, lodging house, or any building used for such purposes, or any part thereof, within the limits of the city which shall be leased, let; or rented, to be occupied by any person or persons in which to dwell or lodge, and which tenement house, boarding house, lodging house, or building, or any part thereof, is not sufficiently lighted or ventilated and provided with water and kept in a cleanly and sanitary condition, or which any part whereof the strength, ventilation, light, or sewerage is in any manner, shape, or form dangerous, insufficient, or prejudicial to life or health, or which shall not be provided with adequate and properly constructed privies or water-closets.

19. Any lot or piece of ground within the limits of the city on which there is a pond or pool of unwholesome, impure, or offensive water.

20. Any well or cistern on any property within the limits of the city, whenever a chemical analysis shows that the water of said well or cistern is of an impure or unwholesome nature.

SEC. 2. The running or operating of a rock-crushing machine in any block or square where there are three or more residences or dwellings occupied, or the running or operating of a rock-crushing machine nearer any occupied residence or dwelling than 300 feet is hereby declared to be a nuisance.

SEC. 3. *Fresh meats, hams, bacon, etc.*—No person shall place, leave, deposit, or hang up any beef, pork, veal, mutton, or other fresh meat, bacon, hams, fish, or sausage in or upon any street, avenue, alley, or sidewalk, or cause or permit the same to be done.

SEC. 4. *Water or slops.*—No person shall throw or cause or allow to be thrown any water or slops upon any floor of any building occupied by him so that the same shall run or soak through such floor or down upon or along the inside of the wall of such building to the injury, annoyance, inconvenience, or damage of any person or persons occupying or doing business in any room or upon any floor or floors beneath.

SEC. 5. *Sewers choking.*—No person shall deposit or throw or cause to be deposited or thrown into any sewer, sewer inlet, manhole, privy vault, or cesspool which has a sewer connection any animal or vegetable substance, or any hay, straw, ashes, cinders, sticks, shavings, trash, soot, oyster shells or cans, broken ware, rags, pieces of iron or other metal, old wearing apparel, or any article or thing whatever that is liable to cause the sewer to choke up or otherwise obstruct the free flow of water therein.

SEC. 6. *Slaughtering animals.*—No person shall kill or slaughter any beeves, sheep, hogs, or other animals, or carry on a business of killing or dressing poultry or game within the limits of the city.

SEC. 7. *Hog pens, etc.*—No person shall keep or cause or allow or permit to be kept on any premises occupied by him or under his control any hogs, cattle, sheep, or goats in a pen or other inclosure so that an offensive, disagreeable, or noxious smell or odor shall arise therefrom to the injury, annoyance, or inconvenience of the neighborhood.

SEC. 8. *Permission necessary to build soap factory, livery stable, etc.*—Hereafter no soap factory, slaughterhouse, garbage works, bone factory or rendering factory, livery stable, boarding stable, sale stable, or any other stable having accommodations for 10 or more animals, or vitriol factory, or tannery, or candle works shall be erected, built, or established on any lot of ground in the city without permission so to do having first been obtained from the city council by proper ordinance; nor shall any house, shed, or structure be used, altered, changed, removed, or repaired so as to establish, conduct, operate, carry on, or maintain any such business or occupation therein without similar authority.

SEC. 9. *Manufacture of injurious articles.*—It shall not be lawful for any person, firm, or corporation to erect any building for the purpose of manufacturing or producing any article the manufacture of which is injurious to the public health, or which, in the manufacture thereof, emits an offensive odor to the extent of creating a nuisance to the surrounding inhabitants without first having obtained the permission so to do from the city council by proper ordinance; nor shall it be lawful to use, alter, change, remove, or repair any house, shed, or structure so as to establish, conduct, operate, carry on, or maintain any such business or occupation therein without similar authority.

SEC. 10. *Burying animals within city prohibited.*—It shall not be lawful for any person to bury or permit to be buried the carcass of any dead animal on any lot of ground or yard within the limits of the city.

SEC. 11. *Dandelion; plantain.*—It shall not be lawful for any person to allow or permit dandelion or plantain to grow on any lot, block, or parcel of ground, or on or along the sidewalk in front thereof, within the limits of the city.

SEC. 12. *Matters and things detrimental to health.*—No building, vehicle, structure, receptacle, or thing used or to be used for any purpose whatever, shall be made, used, kept, maintained, or operated in the city, if the use, keeping, maintaining, or operating of such building, vehicle, structure, receptacle, or thing shall be the occasion of any nuisance or dangerous or detrimental to health.

SEC. 13. *General prohibition of unhealthful business.*—No substance, matter, or thing of any kind whatever, which shall be dangerous or detrimental to health, shall be allowed to exist in connection with any business, or to be used therein, or be used in any work or labor carried on or to be carried on or prosecuted in the city, and no nuisance shall be permitted to exist in connection with any such work or labor.

SEC. 14. *Dust, feathers, etc.*—No lime, ashes, coal, dry sand, hair, feathers, or other substance that is in a similar manner liable to be blown by the wind, shall be sieved or agitated or exposed.

SEC. 15. *Nuisances, common law.*—In all cases where no provision is herein made defining what are nuisances and how the same may be removed, abated, or prevented, in addition to what may be declared such herein, those offenses which are known to the common law of the land and the statutes of Missouri as nuisances may, in case the same exist within the city limits, be treated as such, and proceeded against as in this ordinance provided, or in accordance with any other provision of law.

SEC. 16. *Nuisance in general defined.*—Every act or thing done or made, permitted, allowed, or continued in any property, public or private, by any person or corporation, their agents or servants, to the damage or injury of any of the inhabitants of this city and not hereinbefore specified, shall be deemed a nuisance.

SEC. 17. *Jurisdiction extended.*—In all matters affecting health of the inhabitants of the city of Joplin the provisions of this ordinance shall become operative outside of and within 4 miles of the city limits and shall also become operative and effective in all parks owned by the city, whether within or outside the city limits.

SEC. 18. *Definition of terms used in this ordinance.*—The word "tenement house," where it occurs in this ordinance, shall be taken to mean and include every house, building, or portion thereof which is rented, leased, let, or hired out to be occupied or is occupied as the house, home, or residence of more than three families living independently of one another and doing their cooking upon the premises, or by more than two families upon a floor, so living and cooking, but having a common right in the halls, stairways, yards, water-closets, or privies, or some of them. A "lodging house" shall be taken to mean and include any house or building or portion thereof in which persons are harbored or received or lodged for hire for a single night or for less than one week at a time or any part of which is let to any person to sleep in for any term less than one week. A "cellar" shall be taken to mean and include every basement or lower story of any building or house of which one-half or more of the height from the floor to the ceiling is below the level of the street adjoining. The phrase "boarding house" shall be held to include every building and every story and portion thereof which is at any time or usually used, leased, or occupied.

SEC. 19. *Penalty.*—Any person who shall fail, neglect, delay, or refuse to comply with any of the provisions contained in this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of causing, committing, maintaining, or causing or permitting to be kept, maintained, or done, and any person who shall commit, keep, maintain, or cause or permit to be maintained, committed, kept, or done, a nuisance, as declared and defined by the provisions of this ordinance, shall, upon conviction, be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and if upon trial before the municipal judge of any such person it shall appear that the nuisance complained of continues, the municipal judge shall, in addition to the penalty imposed, make an order directing the chief of police to forthwith abate such nuisance and report the expense of the same to the municipal judge, who shall give judgment against the defendant for the amount of such expense in addition to the fine assessed, which expenses shall be collected in the same manner as other fines are collected. Any such person or persons being guilty of committing a nuisance in any manner as aforesaid shall be subject to a fine of not more than \$300 or by imprisonment not to exceed 60 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SEC. 20. *Nothing herein to be construed to interfere with powers of board of health.*—Nothing in this ordinance shall be so construed as to interfere with the duties and powers of the board of health or of the commissioner of health and sanitation in the condemnation and abatement of all matters defined by law as nuisances.

SEC. 21. *Offense for each day.*—Any person who shall commit, maintain, permit, or do, or shall cause to be committed, maintained, or done any nuisance defined in this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a separate and distinct offense, under the pro-

visions of this ordinance, for each 24 hours that the same shall be committed, maintained, or done, or caused to be committed, maintained, or done, and shall be proceeded against in the first instance.

**SEC. 22. Authority of police.**—Members of the police force and the officers of the department of health and sanitation of the city are hereby authorized and required to go in the daytime in and upon any house, building, lot, or premises, public or private, for the purpose of removing or abating any nuisance defined herein.

**SEC. 23. Repealing.**—Ordinance 2020 and all other ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

### KALAMAZOO, MICH.

#### Bakery Products—Protection of. (Ord. 380, July 5, 1916.)

**SECTION 1.** Bread shall not be transported in any manner through the streets or alleys of the city of Kalamazoo, unless wrapped in suitable paper to protect it from contamination from flies, dust, the conveyance, lines, or the hands of the driver or other persons handling such bread.

All bakers' products shall be suitable protected by placing in sacks, cartons, tight boxes, or other closed receptacles by persons whose hands have been thoroughly washed immediately preceding. No bread or bakers' products shall be kept or offered for sale in the city of Kalamazoo which have not been handled and protected in conformity with the requirements of this section.

### LA CROSSE, WIS.

#### Diphtheria Antitoxin—Sale of—Reports to Commissioner of Health. (Ord. 569, July 14, 1916.)

**SECTION 1.** Any druggist or dealer in drugs who shall hereafter sell any diphtheria antitoxin to any physician or other person in the city of La Crosse shall within 24 hours from the delivery of such antitoxin file a written report of such sale with the commissioner of health of the city of La Crosse.

**SEC. 2.** Such report shall contain the date of the sale, the quantity and variety of antitoxin so sold, the name of the person to whom the same is sold and if known the name and address of the person or persons to whom such antitoxin is to be administered.

**SEC. 3.** Any person violating any provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than \$100, and upon failure to pay such fine shall be confined in the city jail not less than 10 days nor more than 30 days.

### NEW YORK, N. Y.

#### Cows—Tuberculin Test. (Reg. Dept. of H., July 28, 1916.)

*Resolved,* That regulation 1,<sup>1</sup> under the heading "Regulations governing the tuberculin testing of cattle," of the regulations governing the production, transportation, pasteurization, and sale of milk, cream, condensed or concentrated milk, condensed skimmed milk, and modified milk, and relating to sections 155 and 156 of the Sanitary Code, be, and the same is hereby, amended so as to read as follows:

**REGULATION 1. Manner of testing.**—In the case of any herd which is found, when tested in accordance with these regulations, to be free from tuberculosis, the next general test of the herd shall be made within 12 months. Any herd in which one or more reactors shall have been found shall be retested with tuberculin within six months, and every reacting animal shall be excluded from the herd. Tuberculin tests shall be made as follows: